

S. R. VAN ZANT

Commander of the Grand
Army of the Republic.

WILL MARCH UNDER
STARS AND STRIPESOld Boys in Blue and Gray
Plan Big Reunion.

Atlantic City, Sept. 19.—If present plans are carried out, the forty-fourth annual encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, which began its sessions today, may be the last. The commander-in-chief, General Samuel Van Zant, declared that he hoped to attend a great national encampment next year when survivors of the civil war, whether they be of Lee's or Grant's, Longstreet's or Sherman's army should rally around one great campfire and hold forth as brothers and Americans in peace and harmony.

Hardly had the applause following these words died than a Confederate soldier, General Hilary A. Herbert, formerly secretary of the navy in the Cleveland cabinet and during the war a member of the staff of General Robert E. Lee, arose and declared that the words of the commander-in-chief sounded the advent of an era of good feeling never before equalled. As a climax to his address he grasped the stars and stripes and said that under that banner he wanted to see the heroes of the north and of the south unite. He extended his hand to General Van Zant and declared that he and many of his brothers in the south would work for the great reunion of the blue and the gray. There are about 75,000 veterans here. All the famous war songs and battle yells are being rehearsed. The women of the G. A. R. are holding meetings and today gave General Van Zant a reception at Haddon hall.

KILLED AND ROBBED

Body of Columbus Veteran Found Beside Traction Line.

Columbus, O., Sept. 19.—Thomas J. Masters was found dead along the Scioto Valley railroad tracks, two miles south of the city. An investigation was started by the police and coroner Hanes. The body was badly mutilated and it was several hours before an identification was made. Masters was an old soldier. He is known to have had money and pension vouchers who he was released from the city prison after he was fined the costs, suspended, for being drunk. When found his money was gone and pension papers were found under a tree some distance away. A street car passed over him and his body was almost cut in two. His head was badly burned by coming in contact with the third rail.

LIVE STOCK AND GRAIN

CHICAGO.—Cattle: Steers, \$4.80 to \$5.25; Texas steers, \$3.75 to \$4.50; western steers, \$4.25 to \$5.00; stockers and feeders, \$4.00 to \$4.50; cows and heifers, \$2.50 to \$3.50; calves—\$2.75 to \$3.75; Sheep and Lambs—Native sheep, \$2.50 to \$3.50; western, \$2.25 to \$3.00; native lambs, \$3.50 to \$4.50; western, \$3.00 to \$4.00; yearlings, \$2.50 to \$3.50; Hogs—Light, \$3.50 to \$4.50; mixed, \$3.00 to \$4.00; heavy, \$2.50 to \$3.50; roughs, \$2.00 to \$3.00; pigs, \$1.50 to \$2.50; Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.00 to \$1.10; Corn—No. 2, 57¢ to 58¢; Cows—No. 2, 32¢.

EAST BUFFALO.—Cattle: Export cattle, \$5.00 to \$5.50; shipping steers, \$4.50 to \$5.00; butcher cattle, \$4.00 to \$4.50; heifers, \$3.50 to \$4.00; fat cows, \$3.00 to \$3.50; bulls, \$2.50 to \$3.00; milkers and springers, \$3.50 to \$4.00; Calves—\$1.00 to \$1.50; Sheep and Lambs—Mixed sheep, \$2.50 to \$3.50; western, \$2.00 to \$3.00; ewes, \$1.50 to \$2.50; lambs, \$3.00 to \$4.00; yearlings, \$2.00 to \$3.00; Hogs—Light, \$3.50 to \$4.50; mixed, \$3.00 to \$4.00; heavy, \$2.50 to \$3.50; roughs, \$2.00 to \$3.00; pigs, \$1.50 to \$2.50; Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.00 to \$1.10; Corn—No. 2, 57¢ to 58¢; Cows—No. 2, 32¢.

PITTSBURGH.—Cattle: Choice, \$3.25 to \$3.50; prime, \$2.75 to \$3.00; city butchers, \$2.50 to \$2.75; heifers, \$2.00 to \$2.50; cows, \$1.50 to \$2.00; bulls and stags, \$1.00 to \$1.50; fresh cows, \$2.00 to \$2.50; Calves—Veal, \$1.00 to \$1.50; Sheep and Lambs—Prime wethers, \$2.25 to \$2.50; good mixed, \$1.75 to \$2.00; lambs, \$2.00 to \$2.50; Hogs—Prime heavy hogs, \$3.50 to \$4.00; heavy mixed, \$3.00 to \$3.50; medium, \$2.50 to \$3.00; light Yorkers, \$2.00 to \$2.50; pigs, \$1.50 to \$2.00; Wheat—No. 2, 57¢ to 58¢; Corn—No. 2, 57¢ to 58¢; Cows—No. 2, 32¢.

CLEVELAND.—Cattle: Choice steers, \$5.00 to \$5.50; heifers, \$4.50 to \$5.00; fat cows, \$4.00 to \$4.50; bulls, \$3.50 to \$4.00; milkers and springers, \$3.00 to \$3.50; Calves—\$1.00 to \$1.50; Sheep and Lambs—Mixed sheep, \$2.50 to \$3.50; ewes, \$2.00 to \$3.00; lambs, \$3.00 to \$4.00; yearlings, \$2.00 to \$3.00; Hogs—Light, \$3.50 to \$4.50; mixed, \$3.00 to \$4.00; heavy, \$2.50 to \$3.50; roughs, \$2.00 to \$3.00; pigs, \$1.50 to \$2.50; Wheat—No. 2, 57¢ to 58¢; Corn—No. 2, 57¢ to 58¢; Cows—No. 2, 32¢.

TOLEDO.—Wheat, 58¢; corn, 55¢; rye, 71¢; cloverseed, 39¢.

SHORT LOCALS

Eggs 26, butter 34c.

Sharp's for cut flowers, 8 N. Main.
Clough for sewing machines, 11
Gem Laundry, 7 N. Main St. 11

Mr. Cyril F. Allerding went to Columbus Monday afternoon on business.

Mr. A. J. Solomon of Columbus was a visitor in Mt. Vernon on Monday. Flowers and floral designs. Ahern's.

Mr. J. Q. Porter went to Brink Haven Monday morning on business.

Eagle Mills new corn meal.

Miss Isabel Stokes is visiting relatives in Zanesville for a week.

Mr. William Stull of West Salem, O., spent Sunday with friends in Danville.

Who's your tailor? Metzger. 11
Mr. Carl Smith of South Vernon is spending several days fishing near Howard.

Mr. W. W. Miller returned to Columbus this afternoon after visiting in the city over Sunday.

Mr. S. K. Borden is confined to his home on East Burgess street by a severe attack of illness.

The Misses Florence Carey and Irene Dows went to Delaware, Ohio, Monday morning to enter O. W. U.

Hon. L. B. Houck went to Newark Monday noon to attend to some matters of business.

Mr. Donald Creveling of South Vernon went to Columbus Monday morning to enter Bliss Business College.

Mr. and Mrs. William White of North Main street spent Sunday near Chesterville the guests of relatives.

Mr. Frank Sullivan returned Sunday evening from an extended stay in Marietta.

Mr. Jay Clough went to Delaware, Ohio, Monday morning to resume his studies at Ohio Wesleyan University.

Mr. F. P. Crowell of Fredericktown spent Sunday in Mt. Vernon the guest of friends.

Mr. E. W. Breece went to Centerburg Monday morning to attend to some business matters.

Mrs. L. W. Diehl left Sunday evening for her home in Chicago after a several days' visit with her brother, Mr. J. A. Kennedy of this city.

Mrs. Sarah A. Gilliam spent Saturday and Sunday the guest of Dr. Gilliam and family at the state hospital at Columbus.

Messrs. Ralph Chambers and Carroll Conard left Monday morning for Cleveland where they will enter the Cleveland Homeopathic College.

Miss Lottie Friel of West Vine street went to Galena Monday morning to accept a position as head trimmer in a millinery store in that place.

***Mrs. Triggie, a W. C. T. U. lecturer, will give addresses at the Amity M. E. church Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, September 20 and 21.

Miss Eva O'Brien has returned to her home in Mt. Vernon after spending several days with relatives in Butler, Ohio.

Mrs. Frank Tudor of South Jackson street is spending several days in Toledo, the guest of relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Klotz of Bellville spent Sunday in Mt. Vernon the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eli Fry of North Sandusky street.

One plain drunk was arraigned before Mayor Mitchell on Monday morning and on entering a plea of guilty to the charge of intoxication, was given the usual fine and costs.

Mr. R. C. Curtis and Major William Hoey of this city left Sunday evening for Atlantic City, N. J., where they will attend the national encampment and reunion of the G. A. R.

Mr. Hugh Uley and family, formerly residing on the Martinsburg road, have gone to Eagle Lake, Texas, where they will make their future home.

Mr. Allen Faust has returned to his home in Cardington, Ohio, after a several days' visit with his brother, Mr. Winchester Faust of Chester street.

Just received a car fine canning peaches, Elbertas and Crawfords. This is your opportunity to get fruit. Telephone in your order. McNabb's grocery.

Will buy all kinds of second hand furniture, tools, clothing, jewelry, shoes, trunks, satchels, books of all kinds, etc. Hackett's Second Hand store, 212 S. Main, Citizens' phone 602 Black.

Mrs. C. A. Luff of Bowling Green, Ohio, who has been spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. William Rose of South Jefferson street, went to Newark Monday noon to spend several days with her sister, Mrs. Sunderland.

Patrolman and Mrs. William Davis of West Vine street are spending several days in Cleveland, the guests of relatives. During the absence of Patrolman Davis, Mr. Clyde McCown will have charge of the second ward patrol station.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Burris of Mt. Vernon spent Sunday in Danville, the guests of friends and relatives.

Rev. James Contrell of Hiram, Ohio, spent Sunday in Martinsburg the guest of friends.

Mr. Cecil Miller of Gambier spent Saturday in Martinsburg the guest of friends.

Mr. C. F. Schweinfurth of Cleveland spent Monday in Gambier attending to some business matters.

Miss Audrey Payne of Mt. Vernon is spending several days with relatives in Danville.

Mrs. Walter Sapp and Miss Rose Sapp of Mt. Vernon spent Sunday in Danville the guests of relatives.

Dr. Walter Putnam of Brink Haven spent Sunday in Jelloway the guest of Dr. J. A. Reed.

Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Sapp of near Millersburg spent Sunday with friends in Brink Haven.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Mitchell of Lock spent Monday with relatives in Mt. Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Cuenot of Fredericktown spent Sunday in Danville, the guests of relatives.

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Mrs. Barbara Senst of Warsaw spent Sunday in Buckeye City the guest of relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Snow left Monday morning for their home in Valparaiso, Ind., after a several days' visit with relatives in Danville.

Miss Esther Snyder of Columbus is spending several days in Buckeye City, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Osborne Snyder.

Mr. Joseph Colopy has returned to his home in Danville after a three weeks' visit with relatives in Battle Creek, Mich.

Mrs. B. F. Hammond has returned to her home in Millwood after a several days' visit with her mother, Mrs. George Workman, of Columbus.

The Disciple Missionary convention of Knox county will be held at Martinsburg at the Disciple church, beginning Tuesday morning and lasting for two days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Fox have returned to their home in Warren, Ohio, after a several days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. William Vance of East Vine street.

Mr. Lewis Brereton left Monday morning for his home in Salem, Ohio, after a several days' visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Brereton of North Gay street.

Mrs. Elizabeth Burdoff and son and daughter, left Sunday evening for their home in Rock Island, Illinois, after an extended visit with Mrs. Burdoff's brother, Mrs. Charles Broomhall of this city.

Miss McWilliams has opened dress-making parlors at 604 E. High street, and will be pleased to consult patrons from 2:00 to 4:00 p. m., or by appointment. Citizens' phone 414 Red.

Little Louise Salisbury, who was run over by two horses on the race track at Lake Hiawatha park Friday afternoon, is improving nicely and is considered out of danger.

DAMAGING

Evidence Against Crippen
Brought Out Today

London, Sept. 19.—Another blow was given to Dr. H. H. Crippen's hope for liberty today, when the wife of Dr. T. H. Burroughs, Crippen's closest friend in London, identified a lock of hair, which was disinterred with portions of the human body, in the cellar of the Crippen Hilldrop Crescent home, as being from the head of Belle Elmore—Mrs. Crippen's stage name.

This identification was made when the Crippen inquest before Coroner Schroeder was resumed and it was indicated that it would be strongly used by the crown at the resumption of the murder trial later in the week.

FEAR

Balloonists Have Lost Lives
In Mountains

Pittsburg, Pa., Sept. 19.—Grave fears were expressed Monday that some of the ten balloons remaining in the aerial races that started at Indianapolis and which were driven eastward by strong wind currents, may founder in inaccessible parts of the Allegheny mountains and that the aeronauts may suffer dire, if not fatal consequences, as a result.

BALLOONS

Pass Over Bladensburg In
The Big RaceFive Gas Bags Go Over The
VillageFirst Balloon Seen At 6 A.
M. Sunday

Bladensburg, O., Sept. 19.—Most all the people in Bladensburg had "balloonitis" early Sunday morning, for no less than five balloons passed over the village. The balloons started from Indianapolis at 3:48 Saturday afternoon in the national balloon race.

The first balloon was seen at 6 a. m. Sunday morning west of here and appeared to be going in a southeasterly direction. Later four other balloons passed to the east and west of the village.

Field glasses were brought into use by the residents of the village and two persons could easily be distinguished in one of the balloons.

There were fourteen balloons to leave Indianapolis Saturday afternoon in the biggest balloon race in the history of the sport.

CHILDREN

Responsible For The Burning
Of A BarnIn Which Colt And Calf
Burned To DeathDestructive Fire South Of
Jelloway

A large barn belonging to Mr. August Lifer, about three miles south of Jelloway, was entirely destroyed by fire on Saturday. The small son and daughter of Mr. Lifer were playing in the barn yard, near the building and had lighted a bon fire, made of a number of old phosphate sacks. The fire was burning briskly when a gust of wind blew one of the blazing sacks against the side of a large straw stack, which stood near the barn. The straw immediately began to burn and soon was beyond control. The flames spread to the barn and in a short time, both the stack of straw and the large barn were both completely destroyed. Unfortunately, it was impossible to save a little colt and a small calf which were in the building at the time of the fire. Besides this, about twenty-five tons of hay and a number of farm implements were destroyed. There was about one thousand dollars insurance on the property, but Mr. Lifer states that it will not near cover the loss.

KNOCKED

Five People Onto A Revolving
Saw

Emporia, Kas., Sept. 19.—One man was decapitated, another had his head crushed to a pulp and three others were injured, one probably fatally at Arringdale today, when a negro pulled the lever of a sawmill carriage the wrong way and knocked the five into the whirling steel blade of the saw.

Society
NewsEntertained
With Luncheon

Mrs. Ralph C. Ringwalt, Lamertine street, delightfully entertained with a one o'clock luncheon Monday afternoon. Covers were laid for six.

Entertained
Young People

Miss Vera Gleason very pleasantly entertained Friday evening in honor of Miss Florence and Mr. Hubert Walker and Miss Iva Cole, who will soon depart for college. The evening was spent in a delightful manner and delicious refreshments were served.

The Meyer-Lindorf Company's
New Fall
Petticoats

This is a season of soft, dark, rich tones in outer wearing apparel. Not in years have colors been so beautifully and artistically blended. This same effect is carried out in women's petticoats, over 200 of which we have just received. Every conceivable color in plain, changeable and Persian silks is included in this extraordinary display. This was an unusual purchase. A lucky moment in the New York market gave us possession of these at bargain prices. We're sharing the values with you. The rare attractiveness of these garments will surprise you. The styles are many and varied. See them.

\$2.95, \$4, \$4.50, \$5 and \$6

New Silk Slips neatly made at
\$7 and \$7.50

The Meyer-Lindorf Co.

COUNTY

Sunday School Convention
Convenes This Week

Representatives of the eighty-eight Sunday schools of Knox county will gather in annual convention this week in the Methodist Protestant church of Mount Vernon.

The executive committee has endeavored to reach every school in the county with a personal communication and copies of the program. If any school has failed to receive direct communication it is because of incomplete records available, and, through the press the committee would reach such school and earnestly urge attendance upon this great educational institute. The schools of the city hope to entertain delegates and visitors from every school in the county.

President S. D. Fess, D. D., of Antioch college will speak on Friday evening. Pres. Fess is a favorite with the public school teachers of the county, no man in recent years having ranked higher in institute work.

Read the program carefully and note the variety of intensely practical themes and the corps of able speakers, every one a specialist. Don't fail to get every session of the convention.

SENTENCED

To Eight Months On The
Island Was Heike

New York, Sept. 19.—Charles R. Heike, former secretary and treasurer of the American Sugar Refining company, was today sentenced to eight months' imprisonment in Blackwell's Island, and fined \$5,000 by Federal Judge Martin. Heike was convicted in the recent sugar fraud cases. Judge Martin granted a stay, pending appeal and refused Heike's bail of \$15,000.

MORTGAGE LOANS

We are in a position to take a few more first-class loans on mortgage security. Our liberal terms are well-known. If you are thinking of buying or building, come in and talk over our terms.

Office No. 5 E. High street.
THE KNOX BUILDING & LOAN CO.
C. F. Colville, Sec'y.

A married woman usually enjoys meeting another married woman who isn't happily mated.

CAN'T KILL TURTLE DOVES
THIS TIME OF YEAR

A number of local hunters have failed to be out in quest of turtle doves, thinking that it is lawful to hunt them because in Section 1412 of the statutes, which state that it is lawful from the first day of September to the fourth day of December, to hunt woodcock or Carolina dove.

In referring to Section 1409 of the statute is found a further warning to the effect that places turtle doves with song birds, even though its music is doleful and creates a sadness.

The section reads as follows: "No person shall catch, kill or injure, pursue or have in possession either dead or alive, or purchase, expose or sell, transport or ship to a point within or without the state a turtle or mourning dove, sparrow, nuthatch, warbler, flicker, vireo, wren, American robin, catbird, tanager, bobolink, bluejay, oriole, grosbeak or red bird, creeper, redstart, waxwing, woodpecker, hummingbird, black bird, meadow lark, bunting, starting, redwing, purple martin, brown thrasher, American goldfinch, chewing or ground robin, pewee or phoebe bird, chickadee, fly catcher, gnat catcher, mouse hawk, whip-poor-will, snow bird, titmouse, gull, eagle, buzzard or any other wild bird other than a game bird. No part of the plumage, skin or body of such bird shall be sold or had in possession for sale."

The minimum fine for violating Section 1409 is \$25 and the maximum fine is \$200 and the costs of prosecution.

BURNED

To Death Were Three Persons In A Fire

Chicago, Sept. 19.—Mrs. Frank Belk and two children, a young boy and girl, were burned to death and two other children seriously injured this morning in a fire which early today destroyed their home at Chicago Lawn.

It is said the mother lost her life in attempting to rescue her sleeping children.

The origin of the fire was not ascertained.

ROAD TO FAME

It was Mme. Highnote's first appearance, and she was on her trial. The audience sat spellbound. First came a cadenza, and then—the high C. Would she do it? Mme. Highnote thought she wouldn't.

She was just about to attempt the note when a little brown mouse ran across the footlights. The diva shrieked, gathered up her skirts, and ran.

Once in her dressing room, she buried her face in her hands and sobbed. "My prospects are forever blighted," she moaned.

At that moment there came a feverish knocking at the door. It was the manager's assistant.

"The manager," he exclaimed, "wants to know whether you can run away from the curtain because you were ill?"

"No, I am well. It was only—"

"And he wants me to tell you that high C you let out at the end was the finest he had heard for years, and the audience is crazy over you. You must give an encore."

"I can't—I can't," wailed the prima donna; "not unless you get another mouse."—San Francisco Star.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Sarah Kime

Mrs. Sarah Kime died at her home on Chester street Sunday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock after an extended illness caused by a complication of diseases incident to old age. She was eighty-two years of age at the time of her death and is survived by her husband. The funeral at the house Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock, Rev. F. E. Brininstool officiating. Interment in Mound View cemetery.

Edith Sebring

Death came quite suddenly to little Edith Sebring, the 4-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Sebring, of Fredericktown Monday morning at 2:30 o'clock. On Saturday the child was seemingly as well as usual and was down town with her parents in the evening. Sunday morning she was taken suddenly ill and Dr. Darling was called in attendance, who pronounced that she was suffering from brain fever. Everything possible was done for the child, but she sank rapidly and death came at the hour mentioned above. The funeral Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock from the home of the parents, the Rev. Thomas Hamby officiating. Interment in Forest cemetery.

UNDERWOOD FUNERAL

The funeral of the late Joseph Underwood occurred on Monday afternoon at the house in South Vernon at two o'clock. Interment at St. John's church cemetery.